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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 - EXPEDITED**  
**PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 2818**

Attorneys Docket No. 5649-1288

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In re: Hwang *et al.*

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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AFTER FINAL ACTION**

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Applicants provide the present Amendment to address the issues raised in the final Office Action mailed November 29, 2005 ("Final Action").

If any extension of time for the accompanying Amendment and Response is required, Applicants request that this be considered a petition therefore. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee, which may be required, or credit any refund, to Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

A Listing of the Claims is provided for the Examiner's convenience, which begins on page s of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.